

House Resolution No. 2640

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize one of Johnson County's most outstanding senior citizens; and

Whereas, Zoe D. Kushner, a treasured resident of Warrensburg, Missouri, will be honored as a semi-finalist in the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Fifteenth Annual Missouri Older Worker Contest during a special presentation to be held April 28, 2005, in Jefferson City; and

Whereas, other sponsors for the event include Experience Works; the United States Forest Service; Cardinal Ritter Institute, Jewish Vocational Services; the Missouri Department of Economic Development; and the Missouri Senior Employment Coordinating Committee, consisting of the AARP; and

Whereas, Zoe Kushner has compiled an enviable list of service to Western Missouri Medical Center for the past forty-two years, during which time she has filled a variety of positions which include nursing assistant, EMT, emergency room clerk, CPR teacher, and ICU monitor tech, just to name a few; and

Whereas, in 1995, Zoe Kushner willingly and enthusiastically tackled the difficult job of learning the hospital's new information system, inspiring her colleagues who were "computer illiterate" to do the same; and

Whereas, now eighty-nine years young, Zoe Kushner faces the beginning of each day with renewed hope and happiness and continues to lead a good life, working an average of twenty hours each week at Western Missouri Medical Center in Warrensburg:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Zoe Kushner at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri Older Worker Contest semi-finalist, Zoe D. Kushner, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2640, adopted April 27, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker